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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination. Enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment. Also enclosed is a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time, together with our check in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the extension of time fee.

Our check in the amount of \$770.00 is enclosed to cover the required fee for a large entity.

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Respectfully submitted,

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